



# DAILY NEVADA STATE JOURNAL

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FOR PRESIDENT IN 1888,

JAMES G. BLAINE,  
OF MAINE.

Subject to the decision of the Republican National Convention.

"We always have the American flag above us and not below us."—James G. Blaine.

## THE COMING STATE.

It may sound like a wild declaration, but Nevada is bound to become one of the most productive States in the Union. It possesses advantages in the composition of its soil that are far superior to that of the great Mississippi Valley, advantages that will always exist, and become more noticeable as time rolls by. It appears remarkable to the new comer that an apparently desert waste will yield the quality and quantity of vegetable products that is raised in this State. Here they look for the rich black loam common in the middle States, and the absence of this particular soil impresses them with the idea that our soil lacks richness. Nevada soil is not of vegetable creation exclusively, but to the contrary is produced by the decomposition of rock formation, pregnant with mineral, and of that character that gives strength to the soil that is perpetual. The oxidation of mineral is continual, hence the soil is constantly receiving benefits through natural sources that invigorate it. Our native grasses are stronger and more nutritious than those of the Middle and Western States, and why? Because the latter are almost purely the production of vegetable soil, while the grasses in Nevada absorb from the soil the mineral properties that make them nutritious and strong. Our cattle, even those that are fattened upon the range, make fatter and sweeter beef than those of the Middle and Western States, simply because they obtain in the grasses mineral properties that are health giving and fat producing. This is why Nevada beef is sought after. Our soil possesses all the medicinal qualities essential to the production of grain, grasses of every description and also of health giving vegetables. The richness and purity of our cereals, beef and vegetables is the secret of the general good health of our populace, coupled with an invigorating, glorious climate. That time is not far distant when every sage brush flat in this State that can be watered by natural or artificial means will be covered with waving grain. Nevada is an agricultural State, one that will play her part, and nobly too, in the history of American agriculture. We want capital to develop the resources of our State, and the acknowledged superiority of our products and the cause, will ultimately be the magnet that will attract them here.

## THE BANKS IN CALIFORNIA.

The annual report of the Bank Commissioners of California shows that there are at present in the State 83 commercial banks, 24 savings banks and 5 branches of foreign banking houses, an increase since last year of 16. The increase in capital is \$2,164,876. The increase in deposits in the banks of California of all kinds is between \$25,000 and \$30,000. The amount of money on hand in all banks July first was \$23,187,952.40. The amount deposited in the banks at the same date was \$146,711,433.87, showing that more than \$123,000,000 was in circulation on that date. The resources of the 29 national banks of the State July 1st were \$23,743,916, and their deposits amounted to \$18,000,784. It is also shown by the report that nearly all the northern banks handle only gold coin, and the southern banks 75 per cent. currency.

The world-famous San Francisco minister David Walmbold, is spending the summer at the Grand Union, Saratoga, with his handsome wife. He is growing stout and red-cheeked and has entirely given up his tendency to pass away from earth. He is worth a good deal of money, some of which he made as a minister and the rest from fortunate investments.

Ex-Senator Simon Cameron "underwent" a breakfast at the American Exhibition in London, August 11th, and left next day for a further tour. Mr. Cameron, who is eleven years older than Mr. Gladstone, will help to show the English that theirs is not the only country that produces veterans who still retain the fire of youth.

The largest man in the world is Henry A. Cooper, of Lockport, N. Y., who is 8 feet 2 inches in height and weighs 350 pounds. His hand is 13 inches and his foot 17 inches long.

Mrs. Mackay has been almost persuaded by Lady Burdett-Coutts to join the latter in a great philanthropic scheme to assist London's starving poor.

## AMERICA FOR AMERICANS.

The Lyon County Times will be read out by the Republican party by Sam Davis for publishing this:

Few ever reflect on the necessary consequences of the over-growth of population. The great wars, famines, and pestilence as in the past will not be able to keep down the population, and where it has free course under favorable circumstances, it doubles in twenty-five or thirty years. In two centuries more America will begin to feel a terrible pressure, and that pressure will be aggravated by the exhaustion of coal mines, of petroleum, of gas and of forests. Calculate as we may, the crisis must come, as certainly as death comes to each individual; and whether our social system can bear the strain of such condition remains to be seen. At that time, if our population continues to increase in its present ratio, we will have twice the estimated population of the entire globe at present—more than three thousand million! A wise statesmanship would not seek to hurry our nation and people on to this great crisis, but would realize that the greater the amount of inferior and demoralized population the more terrible that crisis must be when it comes. Is not the duty of the statesmen plainly marked out before them? Can there be any possible mistake in exacting laws calculated to check in a manner the growth of this demoralized population. Is it necessary to point out to you the fact that our prisons, almshouses, charitable and reformatory institutions are filled to overflowing with foreigners. Nevada, to her shame is called the rotten borough. Is it necessary for me to tell you that those citizens who are accused of trafficking in the franchise are exclusively naturalized voters or their immediate progeny? There is a duty which the American people owe to themselves. We have vast and fertile climate, diversified in its resources, and embracing every climate from frigid to torrid, it is the birthright of the American people, and it is our duty to protect it from invasion. If this vast army of foreigners came to our shores with swords in their hands what an uprising there would be to meet it. Although they come unarmed they are none the less dangerous. It is the duty of Americans to organize for self protection. Immediate steps should be taken to Americanize America. Unthinking or interested parties may try to smother us with the Declaration of Independence and the Constitution, but I say to them that in this respect, the march of progress has left the Declaration and Constitution behind. Circumstances are changed, and conditions have been reversed during the last century.

Then our country needed population, now, in the older districts, people are already being cramped for room. Our population is not yet seventy millions. How will it be in another century when the population shall have reached seven hundred million? Americans, if you are Americans, you will act for the good of your native land.

## REDUCING RATES.

The Silver State makes the annexed comments:

Before the suspension of the long and short haul clause of the Interstate Commerce act the rate on lumber from Truckee to Winnemucca was reduced from \$30 to \$40 per carload, the latter having been the rate to Ogden for years. This reduction was made in April and us the Interstate Commerce Commission provided in the order suspending section four of the Act, that rates to intermediate points on interstate railroads should not be increased above what they were on the 20th of April, the people of Central and Eastern Nevada are now paying less than one-half the usual freight on lumber.

Now the railroad company has reduced the freight on coal from Ogden to Winnemucca from 50¢ to 26½ cents per 100 pounds on car-loads of not less than 20,000 pounds. This reduction, like that made on lumber, will be greatly appreciated by the people. Fuel is scarce and high priced throughout Central and Eastern Nevada, and whatever tends to cheapen it is a public benefit.

Heretofore the freight alone being over \$10 per \$9 per cord, or coal at \$13 per ton was the cheapest. Now, unless the price of coal at the mines is advanced, as the price of lumber was at the mills when the freight was reduced, coal ought to sell here almost as cheap as wood.

If the railroad pursues this policy and makes a liberal reduction in rates on exports and imports, it will find that Nevada, east of Reno, has a future and a prosperous one, too, notwithstanding the opinion of Prophet Stubbs to the contrary.

The Wisconsin delegation to the Republican National Convention will, it is claimed, certainly support Governor Ruske for Vice-President, and may be for President.

The situation in Iowa is said to be highly satisfactory to the Republicans, and the prospects for a harmonious State Convention on the 24th inst. were never better.

Prominent Texas Democrats declare that every Democrat who aided the Prohibitionists in the recent campaign, including Senator Reagan, will be boycotted.

Congressman Mills, of Texas, led the fight against prohibition in that State, and the big majority on his side has given him a boom for the seat of Senator Coke.

Over six thousand immigrants were landed at Castle Garden last week. More than two-thirds of the people were bound for the West and Northwest.

Senator Voorhees expresses his satisfaction with the progress which the Administration has made in removing Republicans from office in Indiana.

A REPORTER'S MAGNIFICENCE.—A few days ago a noble specimen of the deer hound, who had neglected to pay his taxes, was found roaming at large and was arrested by Constable Upson and bound over in the sum of four dollars, in default of which he was sent to the dog cooler. As soon as the canine found that he was in jail he set up a doleful howl, and continued it without intermission, much to the annoyance of people living near by. The animal attracted considerable attention, and one of our worthy reporters concluded to go down and take a look at him. The meeting between the quill driver and the hound was very affecting. The dog recognized immediately that an influential friend had at last made his appearance, and he prepared himself for the interview that was to follow. He used all the persuasion known to his species, while the tears ran in torrents down his pale checks. He touched a sympathetic cord in the noble breast of the reporter, and his eyes became wet with tears. The dog felt that he had gained his point, and as the representative of the "art preservative" started off he yelled at him to hurry up. The pencil wielder hastened his steps, determined to save the animal if he had to sacrifice the last one of his wife's relations in the effort. There was \$4.00 due on the dog, and this being a much larger amount than Nevada newspaper representatives usually carry about them, he set himself to work to get up a syndicate of well to do men, and bail the dog out. After canvassing the town thoroughly, he managed to enlist seven men in the dog's behalf, each of whom subscribed 50 cents for his release. The reporter said that he would raise his half and that would complete the amount. Such a sum of money is hard for a reporter to raise, but he fortunately struck an individual who was not aware that he was a newspaper man, and who loaned him the much desired half dollar without security. He then hunted up Constable Upson, paid the fine, borrowed a rope that he will never return, and when last seen he was tripping over the Virginia street bridge with the dog at his side. He says that just as soon as he can get a gun and a deer, he'll take the dog out and give him a trial.

STREET RAILWAY SLEEPERS.—The longest street-car line in the world is in the Argentine Republic, South America, and it will also be the only line in the world to run sleeping cars for the accommodation of its patrons. The road has 200 miles of track, connecting a number of towns in the vicinity of Buenos Ayres, and its equipment has been supplied by a Philadelphia company. Horses are used as motive power instead of steam, because fuel is dear, horses cheap and the people are slow. Two tons of coal will buy a horse and harness. The sleeping cars are a curiosity. They are four in number, 18 feet in length, and are furnished with four berths each, which are made to roll up when not in use. The cars are furnished with lavatories, water coolers, linen presses and other conveniences, and are finished throughout with mahogany. The other cars are four double-decked open cars, 20 platform cars, 20 gondola cars, 4 poultry cars furnished with coops, 8 cattle cars, 2 derrick cars for lifting heavy material, and 200 box cars. They will be ready for shipment in a few days.

FATALLY INJURED.—On Saturday evening a man was found near the railroad track on the outskirts of Verdi in a helpless condition. He was conveyed to the town where it was discovered that he was badly bruised about the back and side and one of his eyes blackened as if from a blow. He was unable to give any account of what had befallen him and was sent to the hospital here where he died Sunday. There is something very mysterious about the affair and it may never be satisfactorily explained. Those who saw the dead man say that the black eye looked as though it had been made by a blow from a man's fist and even go so far as to assert that they believe he was knocked off the platform or top of a car on which he was beating his way. The coroner went to Verdi yesterday to inquire into the matter and may perhaps find out the cause of his death.

MIGHT BE PATE OLSEN.—For the past two weeks it has been reported that a crazy man was living in a cabin about two miles from Corry's Station, sixteen miles from Truckee. On Thursday Jas. Reed, accompanied by H. N. Chapman, rode out and found such a person. They found him in a very destitute condition, with part of a can of corned beef and a little milk to eat and one blanket. His feet were very sore and he had no shoes on. He was about five feet nine inches in height, dark complexion and a scar under one eye. He gave his name as Joseph Miller. When approached he fled, firing a revolver at his pursuers, and disappeared in the bushes. His fire was returned and it is thought he was wounded. Milk, butter and other articles have been missed by ranchers in the vicinity of late.

CARSON gives her vags six hours to leave town. They invariably head for Reno, where Judge Young cuts down the time to ten minutes.

This House is situated beside the Railroad track, and it is but step from the building to the cars of the C. P. R. R. on one side, and those of the V. & T. R. R. on the other.

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## MISCELLANEOUS.

### NEVADA THEATER

Wednesday, August 24th,

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## TOWN AND COUNTY.

### BREVITIES.

The Briggs mill has closed down.

J. N. Evans will cut 1,700 tons of hay.

Bert. Crawford is down from Carson.

The Haywood mine is working 15 men.

Silver City is having a pugilistic boom.

Frank Lee went to the Bay Saturday night.

Hank Davis went to Truckee last night.

The Grand Jury will be in session to-day.

Jim Kinkead was down from Virginia Sunday.

The new bridge on Second street is completed.

Hume and Ed. Yerington came down last night.

Two car loads of powder passed East last night.

Sept. Dovy came down from Carson last night.

Capt. Avery came down from Carson yesterday.

Our markets are filled with the choicest fruits.

Twenty-five car-loads of cattle passed west on Sunday.

The side-track for the Chollar mine will soon be laid.

The Bullion air shaft will be completed in another month.

Dr. Bergstein's family returned from the lake last night.

Mrs. John Wright, of Dayton, is visiting friends in Reno.

Miss Kate Fellows returned from Beckwith last night.

The Hungarian troupe passed through to Virginia yesterday.

M. D. Haynes returned Sunday night from a prospecting trip.

Captain A. D. Griffin returned from San Francisco last night.

S. A. Hamlin, the mill-man, came down from Verdi Sunday.

Dick Nash has been out at Winnemucca visiting old friends.

J. N. Evans and family returned from Dog Valley Saturday night.

Mrs. Al. Wilsie came in from Sierra Valley on Saturday evening.

The west-bound passenger trains are loaded down to the gunwales.

S. Cahn, formerly of this place, died in Oakland Sunday afternoon.

Billie, son of W. H. Patton, came down from Virginia last night.

Work has been resumed on the Pimlico mine in Hawthorne District.

The hotels in Reno are full, and it is almost impossible to obtain a bed.

There is to be a lawn party at J. N. Evans' on next Thursday evening.

A freight train composed of 32 cars, time goods, passed west yesterday.

Miss Annie Shaw, of Reno, has gone to visit friends on the N. & C. road.

Workmen are employed repairing the Local or "Peanut" Telegraph Line.

Alex. Leermo passed through from Gold Hill to Tahoe on Sunday night.

Real estate has advanced 25 per cent. in value at Santa Ross within two weeks.

Henry Nelson, arrested for drunkenness, was fined \$10. He paid his fine.

Lient. Brett, of Ft. Bidwell, is in Reno to receive 30 recruits for that post.

An assessment of 50 cents a share was levied on Chollar and Potosi yesterday.

Two "sports" were arrested Sunday and fined \$10 for disturbing the peace.

Augustine Daly's theatrical troupe passed through yesterday for New York.

Miss Esther Biggs, of Reno, leaves Saturday morning for a visit to Dayton.

Farmers in Seven-mile Canyon, near Virginia City, have cut two crops this year.

Standard Nerve Food a healthful drink. Geo. Becker, agent, Reno, Nevada.

Go to Osburn & Shoemaker's and try a glass of "Moxie" and soda, the nerve food.

A tea train, consisting of twenty cars, passed through to the East on Saturday night.

Constable Upson states that he never permits a dog to go hungry while in the pound.

S. G. Porteous came down from Virginia Sunday night on his way to Lake Tahoe.

John Ross, County Clerk of Storey county, passed through last night for Tahoe.

The Reno Lumber Yard has advanced the price of common lumber to \$16 per thousand.

Large hay stacks can be seen all over the valley, with one more good crop to bear from.

Hay in the bale in Mason Valley is held at \$11 per ton, and in the stack at \$4 and \$3.

Two of the Arizona train robbers have been traced to Carlisle, N. M., and one to California.

The County Board of Examiners were holding a special examination of teachers yesterday.

Forest fires have destroyed 25,000 acres of timber in the western part of Colusa county.

Real estate sales in San Jose Saturday amounted to \$2,000,000. Hurrah for the great West.

The overland came in Sunday evening in two sections, both of which were heavily loaded.

Sports are settling down in Reno for the Fair. They are always ready for the Fall harvest.

Patrick McLanglin, who was accidentally shot at Washoe a few days ago, is all right again.

J. B. Gallagher, is pushing his reservoir and irrigation scheme along with his usual activity.

Capp's famous New York band will give a concert at the Sacramento State Fair, September 4th.

Arrangements are being made for a grand time at the Miners' Union picnic at Steamboat springs.

Thirty car-loads of people went from San Francisco to the sale of lots at San Jose on Saturday last.

Dan Sohl's new slaughter house and sausage factory is nearly completed, and will soon be in operation.

Good men, miners, laborers, etc., of all kinds are in great demand at Seligman, White Pine county.

The citizens of Genoa are raising a subscription to have the telegraph service continued at that place.

Those who understand architecture say that a good coat of paint would not weaken the Pavilion a particle.

Sidney Pinniger and Louis Wintermantel started for the lakes yesterday morning to go on two weeks.

If a large ditch of water was run to Spanish Spring Valley, it would soon become famous for its products.

"Della Walker," "Al. Farrow" and "Mollie McShane" are here from Oregon to take part in the Reno races.

There was a fight on the corner of Commercial Row and Virginia street Sunday night. Times are getting lively.

Matt Rhein is preparing molds to cast the largest pulley ever made in Nevada. Matt understands how to do it.

The roads are now dry between Washoe and the Switch, there being no water in the ditches to turn into the road.

Prof. Thos. Price, the expert, accompanied by his daughter, came up from the Bay last night, en route to the Comstock.

There are about one hundred men employed in Garfield district. The mines in this district are all looking excellent.

Dr. Harlan, of San Francisco, is making labor speeches nightly in Reno and uses good argument in support of his doctrine.

The iron horse made its first appearance in Santa Barbara last Saturday. The event was justly and enthusiastically celebrated.

The West Walker river is nearly dry in Mason Valley and the East Walker is dry as a powder house from the Mickey Ditch down.

Bob Morrow has mortgaged property to the tune of \$350,000 to D. O. Mills. He probably needs it in his case. Jury fixing costs money.

Hay in the bale in Mason Valley, is held at \$11 per ton, and in the stack it is held at \$4 per ton by many ranchers while some hold at \$3.

The JOURNAL returns thanks to Secretary of State Dorman for a copy of Appendix to the Journals of the Senate and Assembly of the 13th session.

All articles of groceries, fruit or vegetables bought at Coffin and Larcombe's are warranted just as represented, and all purchases are promptly delivered.

The JOURNAL staff returns thanks to little Harry Winton for a box of Placer county peaches. They were nearly as large as Harry, and almost as sweet.

It is rumored that Mackay and Flood have disposed of their interest in the Comstock, but investigation has failed to discover any grounds for the rumor.

Go to Jake Becker's and get some lunch and a nice frosting glass of Boca or Sacramento beer. From 11:30 until 2:30 a hot lunch is served that is equal to a square meal.

There is to be a fruit train run daily over the C. P., commencing yesterday. If the train does not exceed 12 cars, there will be no fruit cars attached to the passenger trains.

Marshall Kelly arrived from the eastern part of the State Sunday night, having in charge a prisoner accused of selling liquor to Indians. He departed for Carson with his man yesterday.

The Reno Lumber Yard has advanced the price of common lumber to \$16 per thousand.

Headers are now running from day light until dark on the ranches in Mason Valley. The grain crop is as good as the average. The hay crop will be about three-fourths the usual average.

Last Wednesday Adam Bay and Wm. Cameron had a dispute at Silver City, the outcome of which was a brutal fight. After each bruiser was knocked down several times, the fight was declared a draw.

The Arizona officers now believe that they have a clue to the men who robbed the train near Tucson last April. They have succeeded in tracing up some bills that were stolen from a Wells, Fargo & Co. envelope.

Jimmy Nutty, the pitcher of the Amateurs, will leave for Winnemucca to pitch for that club in the game with the Austins. They have also offered him inducements to remain with them henceforth.

Captain Jim Townsend writes from Lundy that he is rambling over the hills of that fearfully grand country, looking for something to gobble. He says the scenery is so indescribably grand that a man can't write about it unless he uses both hands.

In the District Court yesterday the return of the Administrator of the sale of certain property of the estate of M. C. Lake, deceased, was heard and confirmed, and the Administrator directed to make conveyance of the property to the purchasers.

The Central Pacific has issued a special coal tariff for Nevada and Utah, which is a great reduction on the rates. The rates are as follows: Corinne, 5 cents per 100 pounds; Wells, 21 cents per 100 pounds; Elko, 22 cents; Palisade, 23 cents; Winnemucca, 26½ cents; Humboldt, 27½ cents; Reno, 30 cents.

NEW FLUME.—The grading for the flume for the Electric Light Company is now completed but some work will be necessary for the laying of the stringers. The flume will be 450 feet long, four feet deep and 12 feet wide, and will carry enough water to run several mills. The work on the flume will commence this week and will be pushed as rapidly as possible. The building for the new dynamo will be ready in a few days and the machinery put in place. They are now busy building a dam in the river, but owing to a heavy flow of water in the morning they can only work on the dam in the afternoon.

MAKE ROOM.—Our hotel keepers must make preparations for the accommodation of guests during the Fair. Even now the hotels are crowded, and it is almost impossible to obtain a bed at any of the first-class houses. Don't wait until the rush comes, but take time by the forelock and be ready for it when it does come. The indications are now favorable that the attendance of the coming exhibition will be far larger than on any similar occasion, hence the importance of taking prompt action. Don't let visitors pass the night in bar-room chairs.

WORD FROM A FORMER RENOITE.—Mrs. Walrod, formerly a resident of Reno, now of Paola, Kansas, writes her brother, A. H. Barnes, of their general good health, etc., saying that Miss Royce, a former teacher in our public school, enroute from Tucson A. T. to Chicago, spent one day visiting her. She says Miss R looks a little older than when a teacher here but is just as pleasant and agreeable as ever. Her sister Mrs. Cookes and another sister were with her. Miss R expressed a desire to see her Reno friends and might return via Reno.

A TUMBLE.—Sunday evening a Chinese man employed at the Palace Hotel had occasion to go to the cellar, and opened the door on the sidewalk and went down, leaving the door open. A pedes- trian coming along failing to see the opening walked bang into it. He was bruised to some extent, but fortunately escaped with no broken bones.

A LIVELY SCRAP.—A scrapping match took place yesterday morning on the corner of Virginia and Second street, between a stone-mason and a plasterer.

The trouble originated over a business transaction, and though they tugged for quite a while unseated, but little damage was done to either combatants.

GOOD RESULTS.—Parties who have had ore worked at the Kinckea mill are well satisfied with the results. The mill is under the supervision of D. W. Millsaps and assays made of the tailings only went \$2 50 per ton, which certainly shows that very little metal was lost.

So says the Esmeralda News.

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## SAN FRANCISCO'S RECORD.

Trade and Commerce—New Buildings and Increased Population.

NEW YORK, August 20.—The Commercial Bulletin, reviewing the statistics concerning the trade and commerce of California for six months, says: The exhibit is in the highest degree gratifying, as showing the onward march of the Pacific Coast in the line of commercial and industrial prosperity. Trade has been on a healthy basis, manufacturers have made further progress, and San Francisco is fast becoming a new city. During the half year its citizens have spent over three and one-quarter millions of dollars in erecting new buildings and have added at least 10,000 to its population, and in the course of the next twelve months it is estimated that from 1,500 to 3,000 more buildings will be added to the list. This is a record of which any community may be proud.

A CURIOUS FIND.—While out hunting on the line of the V. & T. road Sunday, O. H. Ferry found an old dilapidated pocket book, containing a photograph and a bunch of business cards. On one of the latter was the following bit of history, written by some tourist on his way to the Empire State. Below is given his experience as written by himself: "Left Sac. Thursday July 27th on a freight train, got ditched at Rockland; walked to Auburn 14 miles. Left A. Friday night on the overland for Truckee and arrived there Saturday afternoon; 1 meal. Walked 20 miles to Boca and slept on a pile of shingles. Rested at Verdi 10 minutes on my way to Reno. Arrived at Reno footsore, hungry and weary, and have had nothing to eat since last night, and didn't have the nerve to hit anybody for grub, but will to-night." Here the diary ends. He was evidently no common tramp, or he would have had the nerve to "hit." He can have his historical sketch and purse by calling at this office. No charges.

HARRIGAN'S ENGAGEMENT.—Our citizens should not fail to procure seats at the Nevada Theater to-morrow evening to witness Ned Harrigan, king of the light comedians of the age, in his finished personation of "Old Lavender," and to listen to the delightful strains of Straus' waltz, "The Beautiful Blue Danube," as played by Dave Braham's splendid cornet band and orchestra. Mr. Harrigan in "Old Lavender" presented a delightful picture of a generous-hearted hero. The play had a successful run of several months at the Park Theater, New York, and has just concluded a six-weeks' engagement at the Bush in San Francisco.

DANGEROUSLY ILL.—General J. R. Kittrell, ex-Attorney General of Nevada and at present District Attorney of Stanislaus county, is confined to his bed with eczema. The General is very low and doubts are entertained of his recovery. General Kittrell is considered one of the best criminal lawyers and public speakers on the coast. He is the only Democrat thus far on record who declined an office under President Cleveland. Without solicitation on his part he was appointed United States District Attorney for California, but declined. The many friends of the General in Nevada will regret to learn of his illness.

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Trials of Speed to be conducted under the auspices of the Directors of the State Agricultural Society.

THE STATE AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY WAS ESTABLISHED IN ACCORDANCE WITH AN ACT OF THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, ENTITLED "AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE MANAGEMENT AND CONTROL OF THE STATE AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY OF THE STATE," APPROVED MARCH 7, 1885.

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### PROGRAMME:

First Day—Wednesday, Sept. 21.

No. 1. Introductory—Three-quarter dash for trotting horses, \$100 added entrance \$20, declaration \$5, on or before Sept. 1st.  
No. 2. Running—Five-eighths mile dash, trotting horses, 2-year-olds, \$100 added entrance \$40, declaration \$5, on or before Sept. 1st.  
Nos. 3, 4 and 5, will be made and announced on Saturday, Sept. 24th.

Second Day—Thursday, Sept. 22.

No. 6. Trotting—2½ class for District horses, three in five, purse \$300, first horse \$150, second horse \$100, third horse \$50.  
No. 7. Running—Mile heats, three in five, purse for all, \$300, \$200 to first horse, \$200 to second horse, \$100 to third horse.

Third Day—Friday, Sept. 23.

No. 8. Running—Selling purse for District horses, dash of a mile, \$150 added, \$25 entrance, half forfeit, \$5 declaration, on or before Sept. 1st. Horses to be sold for \$100 to entry entrants, weight two pounds allowed for each \$100 declared, one \$100.  
No. 9. Running—Half mile dash, enhanced purse \$100.  
Three other races for this day will be announced on Thursday, Sept. 24th.

Fourth Day—Saturday, Sept. 24.

No. 10. Trotting—Mile and repeat, free for all 3 years old and under in the District, purse \$300, first horse \$150, second horse \$100, third horse \$50.  
No. 11. Racing—Mile heats, three in five, purse for all, \$300, first horse \$150, second horse \$100, third horse \$50.

Fifth Day—Monday, Sept. 25.

No. 12. Handicap—Mile and a half dash, \$50 added, \$50 entrance, half forfeit, \$10 declaration, on or before Sept. 1st. Weights to be announced Sept. 1st.  
No. 13. Selling purse—Closes the same time as strikes, one mile and a quarter dash, \$300 added.

Three other races for this day will be made Sept. 24th.

Sixth Day—Tuesday, Sept. 26.

No. 14. Trotting—Three minute class for District horses, purse \$300, first horse \$150, second horse \$100, third horse \$50.  
No. 15. Trotting—Mile heats, three in five, purse for all, \$300, first horse \$150, second horse \$100, third horse \$50.

Seventh Day—Wednesday, Sept. 27.

No. 16. Trotting—Three minute class for District horses, purse \$300, first horse \$150, second horse \$100, third horse \$50.

No. 17. Running—Three quarter dash, 2½ miles, \$150 added, \$25 entrance, half forfeit, \$5 or more to start.  
No. 18. Running—Mile and three eighths, 2½ years old, \$200 added, \$50 entrance, half forfeit, \$5 declaration, on or before Sept. 1st.  
Three or more to start.  
No. 19. Running—Purse \$500, dash of two miles, ten per cent. entrance, five or more to enter, three or more to start.  
Two other races for this day will be made Sept. 27th.

Eighth Day—Thursday, Sept. 28.

No. 20. Trotting—Three minute class for District horses, purse \$300, first horse \$150, second horse \$100, third horse \$50.

No. 21. Running—Three quarter dash, 2½ miles, \$150 added, \$25 entrance, half forfeit, \$5 or more to start.  
No. 22. Running—Mile and five-eighths dash, 2½ years old, \$200 added, \$50 entrance, half forfeit, \$5 declaration, on or before Sept. 1st.  
Three or more to start.  
Three other races for this day will be made Sept. 28th.

Ninth Day—Friday, Sept. 29.

No. 23. Running—Mile dash for 2-year-olds, \$50 added, entrance \$20, declaration \$5, on or before Sept. 1st.  
No. 24. Trotting—Mile and five-eighths dash for 3-year-olds, \$200 added, \$50 entrance, half forfeit, \$5 declaration, on or before Sept. 1st.  
Three or more to start.  
Three other races for this day will be made Sept. 29th.

Tenth Day—Saturday, Oct. 1.

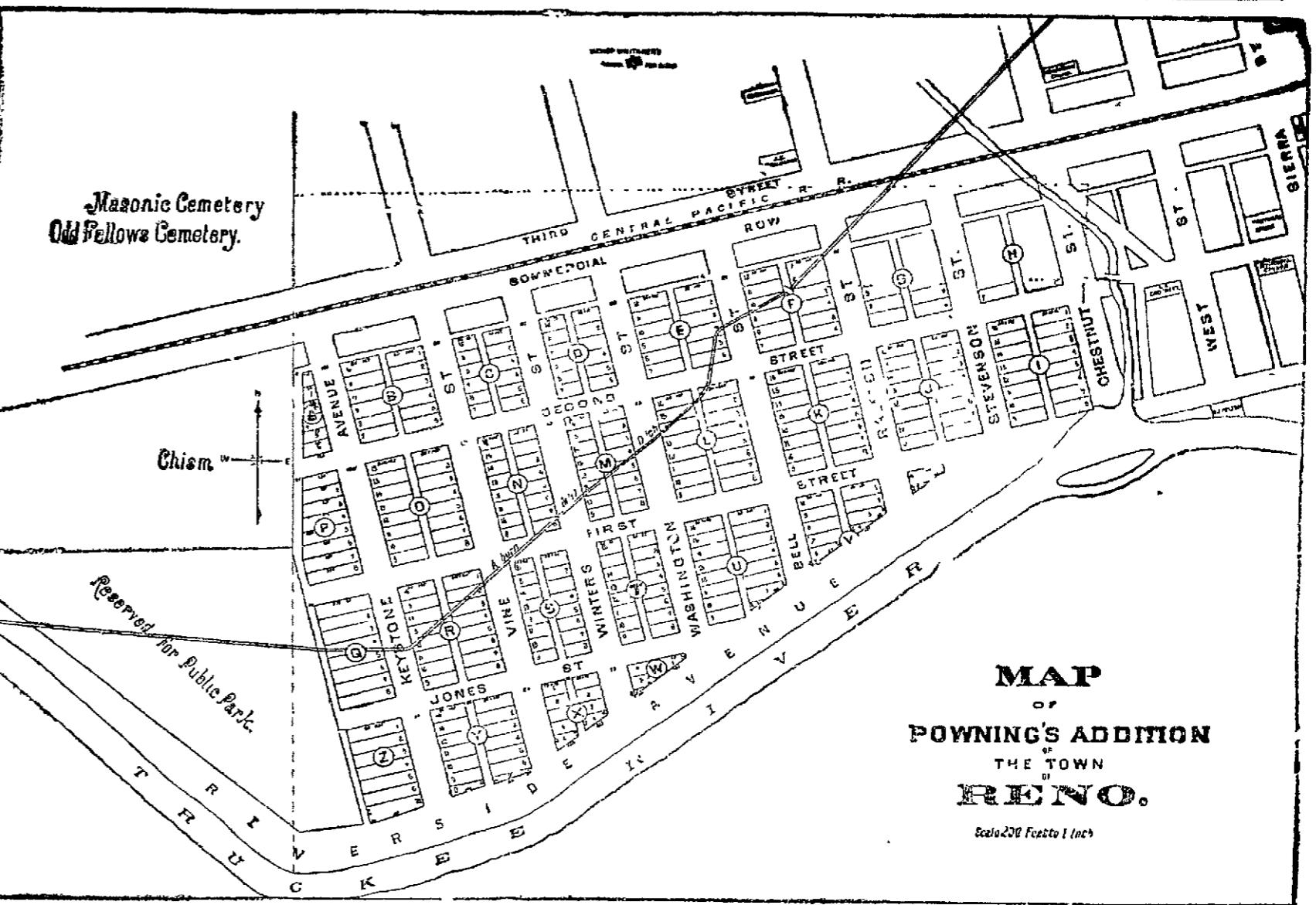
No. 25. Running—Mile heats, three in five, \$500 added, entrance \$20, declaration \$5, on or before Sept. 1st.  
No. 26. Trotting—Mile and five-eighths dash for 3-year-olds, \$200 added, \$50 entrance, half forfeit, \$5 declaration, on or before Sept. 1st.  
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Three other races for this day will be made Sept. 30th.

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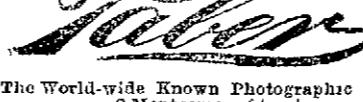
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